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Japanese Patent Abstract No. 09-097342 and United Kingdom Patent No. GB 2 313 971, both cited in the European Search Report, were previously cited in Applicants' Information Disclosure Statement filed June 30, 2003; consequently, Applicants have not submitted copies of these references.

It is respectfully requested that the cited documents be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified patent application and that the cited documents be made officially of record therein. It is further requested that a listing of the same appear on the face of any patent which may issue from this application.

An Office Action was issued on November 18, 2004, for this application. Therefore, Applicant has enclosed a check in the amount of \$180.00 for fees due under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.97(c)(2).

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